

CITY OF SPRINGFIELD  
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

ATTENTION OF MEMO TO FILE

DATE April 1, 1974

DEPARTMENT

Re: Lee's Standard Service, Grant & Commercial  
Owner: Lee Robinson

Mr. Robinson called this office at about 2:00 P.M. today to complain that "the City had put Hugh Dennis out of business" and now his waste oil tank was running over. This office supplied the name of Lawrence Strader who is the only person now performing this service to our knowledge. Mr. Robinson reported that Mr. Strader had been to his station the previous week and had not pumped the tank, complaining that it was full of water.

Personnel from this office contacted Mr. Robinson at his station. We informed him that provisions of City, State, and Federal Law prohibited the discharge of oil and every attempt should be made to prevent any loss from the property.

We recommended that Mr. Robinson contact Lawrence Strader again and that if Mr. Strader again refused assistance, that Mr. Robinson contact with a septic tank service for removal. We requested that if this happened, that the driver contact us for advice on disposal. If the load was preimarily water, the sanitary sewer could probably be used.

We also recommended that Mr. Robinson use some dry sweeping compound to soak up the spillage on his driveway so that none would leave his property. The amount of spillage was minimal, probably less than one quart. Mr. Robinson was to contact this office to relate his plan of action.

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Charles H. Criswell  
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Water Pollution Control

635 W. Commercial

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DATE February 7, 1980

DEPARTMENT \_\_\_\_\_

On Monday, February 4, 1980, this department received a complaint of heavy gasoline fumes from the Safeway store at Grant and Commercial. The gasoline odor was apparent immediately on entering the store. I contacted Mr. Lee Robinson, the manager of Lee's Standard Service Station at 635 West Commercial. He said that four gallons of gasoline had accidentally been spilled down his floor drain. Because the flusher was under repair, Mr. Robinson was advised to run water down the floor drain for a couple of hours. I checked the floor drain at Safeway with the explosion meter about 3:00 P.M. and level of gasoline fumes was under .2. Mr. Ken Simmons, the manager of Safeway said that this was not the first time his employees had smelled gasoline fumes in the floor drain, but that they had always been very faint before.

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Water Pollution Control Inspector II